

WEATHER For Kentucky  
Thursday, fair and colder.

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Marshall is the first vice president to be re-elected.

Hogs climbed up to \$14 the first of the week, again breaking all records.

President Wilson is the tenth president to be inaugurated a second time.

Vincennes won the state championship of High School basketball.

Senator Stone is now enjoying the distinction of being the most unpopular Democrat in the United States.

Chas. L. Jewell, Republican, and Clark Miller, Democrat, have been nominated for Mayor of Indianapolis.

The Indiana Legislature adjourned Tuesday. One of the bills passed provided for military training in High Schools.

The decision on the constitutionality of the Adamson railroad law is expected from the Supreme Court any day.

Villa is reported wounded again. The report is that he was struck on the chest by a piece of shrapnel in the fight at Jimenez.

The Bone Dry bill goes into effect July 1. The president signed the Moon resolution giving four months to dispose of stocks of liquor.

President Wilson's legal advisers will let him know to-morrow whether or not the law permits him to arm ships without the authority of Congress.

The Colonel has expressed a desire to lead a division, as if he didn't do that very thing in 1912, to the great satisfaction of six million Democrats. —Etown News.

Jas. W. Paige, an inventor of one of the early typesetting machines, at one time worth \$1,500,000 until he lost his money in 1903, is now in a poorhouse near Chicago.

New York is the first eastern state to pass a military training bill. All school boys from 16 to 19 are required to drill three hours a week from Sept. 1 to June 15.

A "joker" slipped into an amendment to the state-wide primary law in North Carolina, enacted in 1915, killed the law. The Secretary of State discovered the "joker" and hasty action was taken to set things right. An investigation is being made.

The Legislatures all over the country are adopting resolutions of confidence in the President and many of them are denouncing the senatorial theories. The home states of several of them have acted and a movement has been started to deprive Senator Stone of his chairmanship.

Gov. Whitman is too good a Republican to call a special election in the New York city district, where the death of Mr. Conroy has left a Democratic vacancy. In the event of a special session, the Democrats have lost a vote. They needed only three independents to organize, now they must have 4 of the 5. Clark and Mann are the contesting candidates for Speaker.

In an unanimous opinion the supreme court has decreed restoration to her English owners of the liner Appam and cargo, brought into Hampton roads more than a year ago by a prize crew from the German raider Moewe. Ship and cargo, valued at between three and four million dollars, must be transferred within thirty days, as the court's order is final. American neutrality was violated in bringing the Appam into Hampton roads, the court says, and neither the ancient treaties relied upon by Lieut. Berg, the German prize commander. The Hague conventions nor the declaration of London entitles any belligerents to make American ports a place of deposit of prizes as spoils of war under such circumstances.

## TWO-THIRDS OF THE AMOUNT

The Methodists Set Out to Raise Has Been Subscribed.

## COMMITTEES AT WORK

Three More Days In Which To Raise \$4,700 More.

The official board of the Methodist church is making fine headway in raising the sum of \$15,000 this week, so as to provide for the balance still due on their new church.

Monday the amount reported was \$3,000. This had grown Tuesday to \$8,319 and yesterday at noon this had been increased to \$10,322.

The solicitors are divided into five committees or teams with a captain in charge of each. The reports as made by these teams up to noon yesterday were as follows:

1—Captain R. E. Cooper.....\$2,325  
2—Captain F. K. Yost.....2,130  
3—Captain J. M. Neblett.....2,131  
4—Captain J. J. Robertson.....2,235  
5—Captain J. A. Browning, Jr., 1,504

Total.....\$10,322

Cash payments or time pledges are accepted and donations will be accepted from those not members of the Methodist church. There is still to be raised about \$30,000 on the new church, but the old church lot and building are held as an asset to help raise the amount.

The committees meet each day at noon at the church to make their reports, compare notes and plan for the next twenty-four hours' work. The ladies of the church serve lunch to the workers each day.

Only \$4,700 of the amount is yet to be raised.

## Money In Him.

When a mule kicked Livingston McConnell, a three-year-old Negro boy, in the head at Memphis, the blow broke the skull. Surgeons replaced the broken bone with a brand new dime of the mintage of 1917. The dime will go the grave with the Negro. Coming generations may find and marvel at it.

## TALKED TO THE SCHOOL BOYS

About the Coming Y. M. C. A. Convention at Paducah March 30.

Mr. C. A. Tevebaugh, Y. M. C. A. state secretary, was here yesterday and spoke at the High School, telling the boys about the fifth annual state conference of older boys at Paducah March 30 to April 1.

Delegates from all High and Preparatory Schools, Boys' Clubs, Boy Scouts, Churches and organized Sunday School classes, when in possession of proper credentials are eligible. Delegates must be 14 years of age or over.

All registered delegates will be entertained free in the homes of Paducah from noon of the 30th until after breakfast of April 2nd.

The registration fee is \$1, which is the only expense.

All delegates must be accompanied by an adult leader. He urged the boys to select some teacher, pastor, scout master, or boys' worker who would help work up a delegation, and accompany it to Paducah.

## GOOD CITIZEN TO LEAVE.

Mr. J. McH. Tichenor, has sold his farm on the Palmyra road to H. E. Gary, and is preparing to leave Christian county. His plans have not been announced.

Five firemen were killed in a Detroit fire.

## BREAK PLOT TO BLOW UP PLANTS

Arrest of Kolb Frustrates Plot to Aid Germany By Wrecking Munition Factories.

## BOMBS NOT FOR WILSON

Authorities Convinced No Attack On President's Life Was Contemplated.

Hoboken, N. J., Mar. 7.—With the arrest here Monday of Fritz Kolb, a German, the authorities expressed the belief that they have frustrated a well-laid plot to aid Germany by blowing up munition plants in this country engaged in turning out contracts for the entente allies. The police said they found in Kolb's room two bombs which, according to rumors which had reached them, were to be sent to President Wilson.

After a preliminary investigation, however, they announced themselves as convinced that the plans of the alleged plotters had to do entirely with destroying war supplies, and that no attack on the president's life was contemplated. The police also said they had come into possession of information which might help them in solving the Black Tom explosion and the destruction of the Kingsland, N. J., plant of the Canadian Car and Foundry company in which large munition supplies for the entente allies were blown up.

## FILIBUSTERS TRAITORS

Resolution Calls Roll on "Ad-jective" Members Who Defeated Bill.

Frankfort, Ky., Mar. 7.—The Kentucky state senate yesterday passed a resolution condemning in unmeasured terms the action of United States senators who prevented a vote last week in the upper house of congress on the armed neutrality bill.

The preamble recites that "certain un-American, disloyal, unpatriotic, traitorous and cowardly senators, namely, Clapp, Cummins, Gronna, Kenyon, LaFollette, Norris, Works, Kirby, O'Gorman, Stone and Vardaman" took advantage of senatorial courtesy and senate rules, "and refused to allow said armed neutrality bill to be voted on in the senate, knowing full well that upon the passage of said bill depended the lives of hundreds of brave American seamen."

It asserts that the senators knew Germany repeatedly insulted the American flag, torpedoed ships in defiance of international law and was making earnest efforts to bring the United States into war with Japan. That they knew the United States was swarming with German spies and that bridges and munition plants were being ruthlessly destroyed, "not knowing how soon plots would be uncovered to assassinate our president, destroy our navy yards and naval and military stores, sink ships and otherwise humiliate and discredit us among the nations of the earth."

The resolution condemns the "outrageous action" of the senators named as "unmanly, unpatriotic, un-American, unparalleled and unwarranted." It commends "the patriotic members of both branches of congress," who stood with the president in showing "that while we may have isolated cases of Turbism, as in revolutionary days, we are true to our country as were the heroes of the American colonies."

It concludes with a message that "while Kentucky is for peace with honor she pledges the flower of her manhood as her guarantee that she will help defend the flag and liberty of our great country."

## NOTE DELAYS A RUPTURE

Definition of Stand on Submarine Situation Leaves Door Open For Negotiations.

## UPHOLDS U-BOAT WAR

Unless Overt Act Precipitates Break, U. S. Will Not Force Issue In Coming Reply.

Washington, Mar. 7.—Austria's reply to the American request for a clearer definition of her attitude in the submarine situation was stated officially here to leave the door open for further negotiations, delaying temporarily at least the break which has been regarded as inevitable since the severance of relations between the United States and Germany.

Although in substance the long communication upholds and defends the unrestricted warfare waged by Germany, it is couched in most friendly terms and points out that "Austrian submarines solely are operating in the Adriatic and the Mediterranean and therefore an encroachment on American interests hardly is to be feared."

There will be a reply to this note, and, unless an overt act precipitated the rupture both sides apparently earnestly desire to avoid, the United States probably will not be inclined to force the issue for the present.

The truth is that Germany is credited here with trying to force Austria to a step which that country does not wish to take.

## ESQ. BARKER PASSES AWAY

Confederate Veteran, Former Magistrate and Influential Citizen of County.

Mr. Thomas M. Barker, Sr., died at his home at Kennedy, Ky., Monday night, after a long illness. He was 75 years of age, having been born Jan. 12, 1842. He was of Virginia parentage, a son of Chiles T. and Mary L. Barker, who came to this county in 1849.

Esq. Barker, as he was generally known, from having been a justice of the peace for many years, was one of the county's most prominent citizens. He entered the Confederate army as a soldier of the First Kentucky cavalry, and served throughout the war, rising to the rank of Major.

He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Mary L. Morris, and six children—Chiles T. Barker, Mrs. Noble Allen, Thomas M. Barker, Jr., Richard Barker and Mrs. Matie Daniels, all of this county, and John Morris Barker, of Memphis.

Esq. Barker was a lifelong member of the Salem Baptist church. Funeral services were held at his home yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock and the interment was at Rosedale Cemetery, Pembroke.

## ONE SOLDIER DISLOYAL

Paul L. Scharenberg, a member of the First Minn. Infantry, and a native of Germany, has been given a term of 5 years imprisonment for furnishing military information to Germany. A letter addressed to relatives in Germany asserting that ten million Germans in this country were ready to rise up against the government in the event of war with Germany, was intercepted by British authorities and turned over to Washington officials, according to statements by the officers.

Earl D. Luce, commanding the regiment, and Captain P. L. McClay, regiment adjutant, in confirming the story of Scharenberg's activities declared that he had predicted in his letter that President Wilson "would be soon put out of the way" and had stated that the 200,000 troops on the border would not stand up if put against an efficient force.

## EXTRA SESSION SEEMS ASSURED

Officials Unanimous in Belief That One Must Be Called ---June Probable Time.

## TO FILL FINANCIAL GAPS

Failure of Appropriation Measures Regarded as Imperative Reasons for Session.

Washington, Mar. 7.—An extra session of congress not later than June now is generally conceded among officials here to be assured.

The progress made by senators yesterday toward carrying out the president's recommendation for a rule limiting senate debate generally was regarded as strengthening the likelihood of a special session within a few weeks. It is pointed out that in his statement Sunday night the president conveyed the impression by implication that such a revision of senate rules would be a step preliminary to bringing congress back to finish its program.

## ARMED NEUTRALITY BILL FIRST

After enumerating the important measures which had failed, the statement continued that "it would not cure the difficulty to call the sixty-fifth congress into extraordinary session," unless the parliamentary barrier to action in the senate were removed. Should the senate limit debate and the president's legal advisers decide he has no authority to arm ships without congressional authorization, the armed neutrality bill undoubtedly will take first place among the measures to be pressed by the administration at an extra session.

Modification of the senate rules urged by President Wilson to prevent future filibusters like the one which killed the armed neutrality bill virtually was agreed upon last night by a conference of ten senators, five democrats and five republicans, appointed by the party caucuses.

The change proposed would put the power in the hands of two-thirds of the senators present at any time to shut off debate and prevent dilatory tactics.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

Program Was Conducted by Mrs. James F. Baker, the President.

The missionary society of South Union Baptist church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. James F. Baker. The February program was conducted by Mrs. Baker, the President. Envelopes for thank offering to Home Missions were handed out.

Nine members were present. Seventy-five cents for a quilt and three dollars and eighty cents dues collected. Five visits to sick were reported, twenty-five garments given, one box of flowers sent.

Miss Elizabeth Gary, a new member, was taken into the society.

Miss Lute Baker conducted the Mission study class in the absence of the appointed leader, Mrs. Stowe.

## SPRING OPENING TO-DAY.

Miss Ida T. Bluminstiel will have her spring opening in her new stand, at the Dr. Hill place on South Main Street to-day. She will give a special display of hats, millinery and corsets for the Spring and Summer. Ladies are cordially invited to inspect the newest and smartest things in these lines.

## Two-thirds Fail.

Annapolis, Md., Mar. 7.—It was announced at the naval academy yesterday that only 101 candidates for admission as midshipmen qualified in the mental test out of 300 candidates.

## DEAD BODIES UNEARTHED

In A Cemetery In France Where A Battle Raged.

## ATTACK NEAR VERDUN

Spring Operations About to Begin With Allies on The Defense.

Military operations of importance are taking place in two sectors of the Franco-Belgian front.

The British have extended their activities further south in the Somme region, and Berlin reports an attack near Bouchavesnes, north of Peronne. This is declared to have been repulsed and an effort to repeat it frustrated.

North of Verdun severe engagements are still in progress along the line near Caurieres Wood, where roads upon the French positions were recently made by the Germans. Paris reported the recapture of some advanced positions, which the Germans had occupied in their attack the day previous. An effort was made by the Crown Prince's troops to retake these lost trenches, but Paris declares the attempt was futile.

On the Russian front, in Galicia, Berlin announces a repulse of a Russian night attack near Brzezany, and the breakdown of an assault made by Russian contingents in the Kelemen mountains, near the northern end of the Rumanian front.

The new territory defended by the British troops just north of the Somme river, however, is extremely interesting. It is deeply shell scarred. Some large farm buildings and factories form most picturesque ruins.

Dompierre Cemetery is a remarkable reminder of the ravages of war. Graves and strong underground vaults have been blown open by the relentless and remorseless shellfire to such an extent that the aspect of the cemetery resembles some fantastic idea of the physical resurrection of the dead. The upheaval was so great that vaults appear to have burst from within.

## ELKS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Old Officers Are Promoted or Re-elected Without Contests.

The annual election of Hopkinsville Lodge No. 545, B. P. O. E., was held Tuesday night and passed off with unusual unanimity. All of the old officers were moved up a step, or re-elected.

The following were chosen: Exalted Ruler, Joe C. Slaughter; Leading Knight, Ira D. Smith; Loyal Knight, John W. Brennan; Lecturing Knight, B. O. McReynolds.

Secretary, T. C. Underwood.

Treasurer, Bailey Russell.

Tiler, E. J. Duncan.

Trustees—Three years, Sam Frankel re-elected. Two years, L. H. Davis to succeed W. A. Radford resigned.

## Hold Balance.

Five members-elect of the new House of Representatives hold the balance of power in the Lower House. Acting as a unit, they can control the House, that is, they can control the Republicans and Democrats, each with 215 members, hold true to party lines. W. P. Martin, of Louisiana, and Thomas D. Schall, the blind member from Minnesota, are Progressives. C. H. Randall, of California, is a Prohibitionist. Meyer London, of New York, is a Socialist, while A. T. Fuller, of Massachusetts, is an independent.



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THURSDAY, MARCH 8

John J. Cornwell, the new democratic governor of West Virginia, took the oath of office Sunday March 4th, while a snowstorm was raging.

More than 400 nominations by the President failed of confirmation by the Senate, among them that of Dr. Cary T. Grayson to be medical director and rear admiral in the navy. All of the nominations are expected to be sent in again.

A fund of 500,000 marks in the hands of Ambassador Gerard, for the relief of widows of German soldiers, was intrusted by Mr. Gerard to a committee before he left Germany. The committee has deposited the money in a bank, declining to distribute it.

Elections will be held in Mexico next Sunday to choose a President. Gen. Carranza is opposed by two other candidates who are not considered at all formidable. Voters are required to declare their preferences and their ballots are filled out by the clerks. It is needless to say that few ballots will be cast against Carranza.

On Sunday 500 women marched around the White House grounds in a driving rainstorm, but were told by an officer at the gate that the grounds were closed for the day. They failed to see the President but were drenched by the rain. The march was led by Vina Milholland, a sister of Inez Milholland Boissevain, who died last fall.

## ONE VIRTUE OF BOOKS.

"What if a book is dull?" inquires Samuel McChord Crothers in one of the monthly magazines. "It can't follow you about. It can't button-hole you and say: 'One word more.' When you shut up a book it stays shut." But not Doctor Crothers' books. His epigram suggests a new test for the books on your shelf. Which ones stay shut—which ones call out, "Read me?" It is not the loudest books one hears best; loud-spoken books defeat their purpose if they deafen you till you can't hear yourself think. Thomas Carlyle is, for us, one of those thunderers. Quiet voices reach the ear better; undertone voices like Charles Lamb's. But books do know their place, and sometimes that's a big relief.—Collier's Weekly.

## A MISNOMER.

"How much money has my husband in this bank?"  
"I cannot tell you that, madam."  
"The idea! Aren't you the teller?"

## LATE.

Young Wife—What is your husband's average income, Mrs. Jackson?  
Old Wife—Oh, about midnight.

## POWERFUL MIND.

"So Mrs. Brown has a mind of her own?"  
"I should say she has. And you ought to see her use it."

DR. BEAZLEY

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

## DISCOVER WEALTH IN WASTE

Government Has Found Use for Trifles That Hitherto Have Been Considered of No Value.

In illustration of the truth that it is the little things in life that count, the department of commerce reports experiments in waste saving that have yielded valuable results. Thomas F. Logan writes in Leslie's. The bureau of standards has found a way to conserve the scraps of paraffin paper stock hitherto destroyed or sold with difficulty because no commercial process was known for removing the wax. This problem was solved by the bureau, and the waste material is now being utilized for practical purposes. Other waste investigations have given material returns in the treatment of clay, materials for making concrete, materials for paper-making, and the saving of unused materials in the making of buttons. The fisheries service of the department of commerce likewise reports gratifying success in cultivating the public taste for tilefish, grayfish (formerly known as dogfish), and the wholesome sea mussel, all being practical attacks on the high cost of living. On October 1, 1915, the tilefish was unknown to the consumer as a food. At the end of the last fiscal year 4,125,000 pounds of it had been sold. Since then the catch has been at the rate of 20,000,000 pounds per annum.

## COULDN'T GET AWAY WITH IT

Witnesses Had Positive Proof That Automobileist Had for Some Time Been Riding With a Chicken.

Neal McLeaster, who is employed at the Hill Crest farm, three miles west of Columbus, had an errand to perform. He jumped into his automobile and drove to Columbus, then went four miles east and returned. He stopped at a restaurant to get some lunch. Boese and Wood, policemen, sauntered past.

"I heard a chicken," said Boese. "That was a man," Wood replied. "I don't mean that kind of a chicken," Boese insisted. "I mean a chicken with feathers."

They investigated, and found a White Plymouth Rock pullet on the rear axle of McLeaster's machine. They called him out and asked him seriously what he knew about riding with chickens. McLeaster indignantly denied the charge, and contended that he had been out on legitimate business. Then the policemen pointed to the chicken, and McLeaster gave up. He said it was the first time he ever took a chicken riding when the chicken insisted on using the rear axle as a seat.—Indianapolis News.

## EASTERN MEDICINES.

In some parts of Japan the mere skin of a snake is still supposed to be a sovereign cure for pains in the abdomen. Turtles are regarded with great awe in China and elsewhere, and so, too, are tigers' bones and carbonized monkeys' skulls, which latter are prepared by putting them into vessels exposed to heat until the crania are thoroughly calcined. Birds, too, are carbonized for medicinal purposes, while the nests of certain swallows, made out of the gelatinous substances of seaweeds partly digested and disorganized, form a most invigorating tonic for the sick.

## MAN, POOR MAN.

A man is apt to find it easier to get a wife than to keep one. The man whose office is on the tenth floor is apt to complain of the climb-it when the elevator isn't running.

## DEEP-SIGHTED IDEA.

Crawford—Motorcars are very dangerous.  
Crabshaw—That's the reason I'm going to buy one.—Judge.

## EXPLAINED.

"How do you suppose that dog came to bite me?"  
"I suppose he thought you were a bonehead."

## GENERAL WISH.

"What's the good word about the theaters?"  
"I don't know, but I wish it was the password."

## ABSOLUTELY.

"People should marry their opposites."  
"Most people are convinced that they did."

## Are You A Woman?

Baltimore, Md.—Mrs. W. H. Ison, at 1419 East Madison, writes: "For several years, I suffered, on and on, from terrible troubles, until finally I was taken down and could do nothing. The pains I experienced, I shall never forget. I lost weight till I was only skin and bones. I believe I would have been in my grave, if I had not tried Cardui. I shall praise it as long as I live." Many women, like Mrs. Ison, are weak and discouraged, on account of some painful ailment. Are you one of these sufferers? Cardui will help you. Try it today. Any drug gist.—Adverti-ement.

## TREES THAT BORE APPLES.

A Washington man, while visiting a friend's place in Virginia, became much interested in his experiments in fruit culture.

One day the visitor was making the rounds of the place, being in charge of the friend's young daughter of ten, who acted as guide.

"This tree seems to be loaded with apples," observed the Washingtonian, indicating a particularly fine specimen.

"Yes, sir," assented the little girl; "father says this is a good year for apples."

"I am glad to hear that," said the visitor. "Are all your trees as full of apples as this one?"

"No, sir," explained the girl, "only the apple trees."

## The Ways of Women.

Tom—The ways of women are past all understanding.  
Jack—What's the trouble now?

Tom—While I was in the parlor alone with Miss Pinkleigh last night she lowered the gas and, thinking it was a hint for me to propose, I did so and was refused.

Jack—Huh! You ought to have known that negatives are always developed in a darkroom.

## Expensive.

Great Surgeon—The operation will cost you \$500, sir.  
Old Skinner—But do you think it is absolutely necessary?

Great Surgeon—It depends upon the way you look at it. You can't live without it.

Old Skinner—Say, Doc, this high cost of living is something fierce, isn't it?  
Bad Colds From Sudden Changes  
Spring brings all kinds of weather and with it come colds and the revival of winter coughs and hoarseness. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey will head off a new cold or stop the old one; the soothing balsams relieve the sore throat and heal the irritated tissue. Get a bottle to day and start treatment at once. At your Drug Store 25c. Formula on the bottle.—Advertisement.

## Swallows Easily Fatigued.

The mechanism of flight in the swallow is carried through an ascending scale, until in the swift it reaches its highest degree, both in endurance and facility of evolution. Although there are birds which may, and probably do, attain to the speed of 150 miles per hour, this remarkable rate is not to be looked for in any of the birds of the swallow kind. In their migrations swallows stick close to land, and never leave it unless compelled. They cross straits at the narrowest part, and are the most easily fatigued of all birds. Apparently, they have no powers of sustained flight.

H. J. McRoberts has been appointed postmaster at Stanford, to succeed Mrs. Harvey Helm, resigned.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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## LAUGHED AT PNEUMONIA IDEA

Lord Strathcona Had Not Thought for Illness When Business Interests Made Their Supreme Call.

As has been aptly said, Lord Strathcona was "studiously careless" about his health. His chief affliction was "colds," and it is a wonder that, through his imprudences, they did not lead to serious illness.

An old Montreal friend, M. C. R. Hosmer, who is quoted in Mr. Beckles Willson's "Life of Lord Strathcona," recalls a typical incident that happened nearly twenty years ago.

Lord Strathcona was declared to be very ill and threatened with pneumonia. His private car was ordered to be got ready for a trip to Florida. He learned suddenly that his presence might be useful in Winnipeg, where the Manitoba school question had come to the front. Without saying a word to his doctor or to anyone, he ordered his car to be attached to the Winnipeg train, and off he went. Lady Strathcona was greatly alarmed, and came to my office the next morning. I was then general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway telegraphs. We found out that he was as far as the north side of Lake Superior at the time, and that it was 30 degrees below zero there. The night after he arrived in Winnipeg he gave a banquet to the bishop of St. Boniface.

When he returned to Montreal, I spoke to him of how deeply concerned, not to say alarmed, Lady Strathcona had been. He smiled and said, "Yes, I remember that cold morning. I had to break the ice in the pitcher when I got up."—Youth's Companion.

## SHORTAGE OF STORM RUBBERS.

The recent bad weather has brought to light the fact that there is a shortage of rubbers, says the Baltimore News. Folks who hastened to the nearest shoe or department shop for storm rubbers when the snowstorm hove in sight discovered in many cases there were no rubbers to be had, storm or otherwise. In other stores small sizes could be obtained, but the man or woman with feet of average or slightly more than average size, as a rule was greeted with the information that "we're out of your number at present, and I don't know when we'll have them in again?"

## ENGLAND'S RUSTY WINDOWS.

At his farewell to Eton the other day, Doctor Lyttleton said that one of the reforms on which he prided himself was that he had got 16 of the chapel windows open; "and he wanted them to note that these windows had been shut for four hundred and fifty years." It is a concise apologue of the time.—London Observer.

## BEYOND QUESTION.

"These eggs are strictly fresh? You are quite sure?"  
"Yes, sir. The chef boiled them for himself and hadn't time to eat them, sir."

## BENEATH HIS DIGNITY.

"Did the prisoner offer any resistance?"  
"Only a dollar, your honor, and I wouldn't take it."

## A WONDER.

"What do you think of a man who will constantly deceive his wife?"  
"I think he's a wonder."

## WAR BUSINESS.

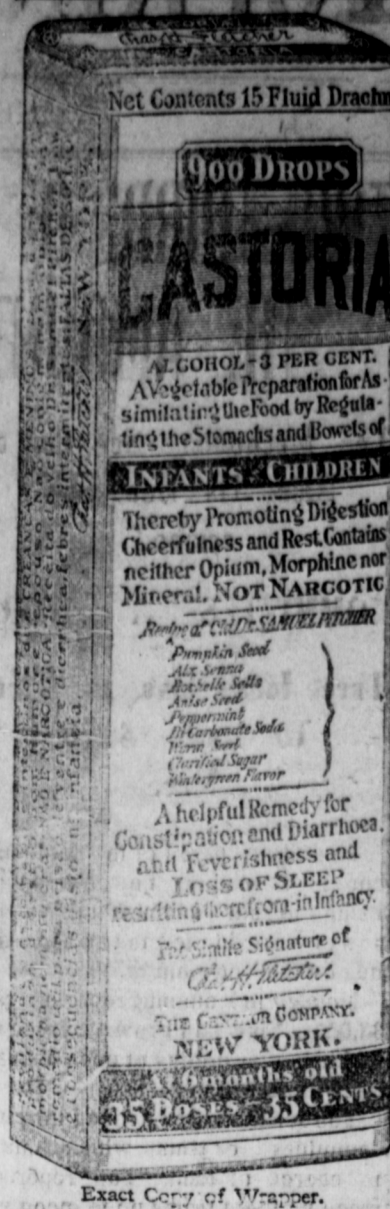
Guest (cheap chophouse)—What do you charge for hash?  
Waiter (shouting)—Gent wants latest quotation on hash!

## LIKE ADAM.

Harry—May I kiss you?  
Maude—Isn't that just like a man? Trying to put all the responsibility on me.

## WRONG PLACE.

Book Agent—Are you interested in good literature, sir?  
Man—Hardly. I'm an editor. Beat it.



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Efficient disk skimming device.  
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**NATIONAL MAGAZINE**, Boston, Mass.

## SPEECH OF SCHOOLCHILDREN

Movement to Improve and Later Make Perfect Is Work Undertaken By Brooklyn Association.

Dr. Frederick Martin, supervisor of the classes to correct speech defects in the public schools of the city, was the speaker at the monthly meeting of the Heads of Departments association. His subject was "Speech Improvement."

Doctor Martin told of the organization of classes for speech defects and improvement throughout the city under his direction. He said that one of the objects of these classes was to give lessons to teachers that they might obtain better speaking in the classroom. That a teacher demand perfect articulation from her pupils he said was one of her duties. He said:

"Too often teachers are so interested in their subjects that they allow children to answer mumbly, thereby creating speech defects which only become paramount as the child grows older. Children of the lower grades are often excused of imperfect speech because the teachers call it 'baby talk' and think the child will 'outgrow it.' Often they allow children to lisp because their teeth are out, and as the teeth grow in the child has formed an acute habit of lisping. We have 50,000 cases of speech defects in our elementary schools at the present time."

Under the direction of Doctor Martin and his 26 assistants, "vocal gymnastic" drills will be held in the schools daily. The object of these drills will be to get better voice support, proper placement of the tone of sound and an open-mouthed, rounded delivery.—Brooklyn Eagle.

## THAT'S TRUE



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## HIGHER PRICE FOR RABBITS.

When the native Australian or the longtime resident hears the cry, "Rabbit, wild rabbit! Rabbit!" he knows that he can get a cheap dinner that will also taste good; for the rabbit hunter is going by. But rabbits are now not nearly so cheap as they were before the war. The demand for meat of any kind has raised the price. The supply, however, is almost inexhaustible, and since refrigeration and canning have been undertaken on a large scale, rabbit flesh has become an important item in the food supply of the world. One Australian firm last year canned 285,000 rabbits, and millions go to England and other countries in cold storage.—Youth's Companion.

## MUSIC.

Diana (out of step)—Isn't the time of this music awful?  
Apollo (archly)—Have you ever heard the beat of it?—Harvard Lampoon.

## STATIONARY.

Passenger—Conductor, do you call this a fast train?  
Conductor—Yes, sir.  
Passenger—What is it fast to?

## TACTICS.

First Pugilist—How do you stand in with her dad?  
Second Pugilist—Close as I can. His infighting is punk.

## AT THE TAILOR'S.

"Do you want a cuff on the trousers?"  
"Do you want a slap on the mouth?"—Lampoon.

## THE RESULT.

"What a peculiar gait your friend has."  
"That is because he is always on the fence."

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**FREE STALLS FURNISHED.**

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for the young men and the man who stays young—at  
**ROSEBOROUGH'S**  
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You can now get Life Insurance on your horses, mules and cattle in the "HARTFORD," a company that is 105 years old. Let us tell you more about it. No obligation. Call for W. A. Cornette.  
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**THE CONSUMER**  
**MISCALCULATES**

**Often Pays More For Catalogue House Goods.**

**ONE FARMER'S EXPERIENCE.**

Influenced by an Alluring Picture Book For a Time—Yards of Red Tape Used—Buying From a Picture Album is a Reckless Form of Gambling. See the Goods Before Purchase.

[Copyrighted 1914 by Thomas J. Sullivan.]  
Figures do not always indicate the price of goods sold by mail order houses as scheduled in their price lists, as the catalogue houses are careful not to mention the "extra" cost incidental to placing the order and the delivery of the article ordered.

The consumer is governed by the low catalogue price rather than the delivery cost, the latter means, of course, being the correct way of determining the cost of the article.

**Consumer Buys Costly Saw.**  
As an example I reproduce herewith a conversation which recently took place in a western town when a consumer entered the local store and inquired the price of a saw. The price of the saw was \$2, the merchant told him.

"Great guns!" declared the consumer. "I can get the same article from a catalogue house for \$1.50."

"I can't buy it for that price," said the merchant. "but I will give it to you on the same terms as the mail order house, just the same."

"All right," replied the consumer. "You can wrap it up and charge it to me, and when I settle in the fall I will pay for it."

**"Hand Over the Cash."**  
"Oh, no, you don't," said the dealer. "We are doing business on the same terms as you do business with the mail order house—no charge accounts. Hand over the cash, please."

The consumer handed over \$1.50. "Now," said the merchant, "5 cents for the money order and 2 cents for postage."

"What?"  
"But you must send a letter and a money order to the catalogue house in order to get the saw, you know."

The consumer, although desiring to belt kept bravely to his agreement.

**SUDDEN SERVICE**  
GO TO  
**LAWSON FAXON'S**  
Drugs, Sodas, Cigars and Whitman's Candies. Phoenix Building. 9th and Main. Phone No. 3.

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We Buy and Sell Mules.

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Buy The Best. Call for Booker's improved Sanitary Bread, finest Quality.  
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Fire, Life, Tornado—Accident and Health Liability.  
Workmen's Compensation.

and pay life 7 cents.  
"Now the express charges, 45 cents, if you please."  
"Well, by gracious!" he said and gamely paid it, with the remark, "Now that I have met all of your demands hand me over my saw."

**Man Made Mistake.**  
"Hand you the saw! Why, man, where do you think you are? Just recollect that you are in Texas and I am located in Chicago. You will have to wait about fifteen days for me to make the delivery." And, backing up his words with actions, he pocketed the money, put the saw back on the shelf and smilingly turned to wait on the next customer.

The consumer pondered, and after he got through with his deductions he said: "The saw will cost me \$2.03. That is 3 cents more than I could have bought it for in the first place, and I am deprived of its use for fifteen days besides. No more mail order house for me!"

**Incident Worthy of Emulation.**  
The incident related above is one which both the merchant and the consumer may read with profit, and if more of the merchants adopted the same tactics as did the Texas merchant they would have fewer mail order buyers among those who should be their customers.

And there is much more to this question than price and delivery; there are often dissatisfaction and inferior and damaged goods to contend with. In the case of goods being damaged en route the buyer has either the prospect of a lawsuit with the railroad company or a correspondence fight with the catalogue house, neither of which is very inviting.

Not infrequently does the buyer, rather than to go to all the expense and trouble incidental to the exchange of the article, allow himself to be imposed upon by accepting the inferior and often valueless article, an article which he is actually ashamed to own or use.

**The Only Safe Way.**  
There can be but one right way to buy goods, and that is to have the goods in view of the purchaser. Buying from a picture is a reckless form of gambling in which the advantage is entirely with the seller. He knows what your money is. You do not know what his goods are. Hence it is heads he wins and tails you lose.

That the catalogue house always gets the better of the bargain is evidenced by the fact that annually the large mail order houses declare dividends the enormity of which appalls and bewilders the conception of ordinary individuals, who count their profits and savings in pennies rather than in millions.

There is but one right way to buy goods, and that way is to see what you buy before you pay for it.

**Blakey, Bass & Barnett**  
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**JEWELERS**  
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**Cooper's Loose Floor.**  
Has been Re-built with all the light in roof for you.  
Call and see the New Building at Same old stand.

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General Auto Repairing.  
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Manufacturers and Dealers in MONUMENTS.  
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Painter, Paper Hanger and Decorator. Hardwood Work a Specialty.  
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**WATCHES EXAMINED**  
**Repaired and Adjusted**  
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The Only Loose Floor in the district that keeps its customers posted with a weekly market report.

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Every Sack Guaranteed.

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**WHOLESALE GROCERS**  
John A. Clements, Mgr.

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## MIDNIGHT HOURS BRING NO ALARM OF DREAD COUP

This Sturdy Youngster Keeps a "Bodyguard" on Hand.



MASTER CHAS. KERN HURLEY, LA PORTE, IND.

## POSTS GUARD AT BEDTIME. And Mother Sleeps Without Fear of Hearing that Awful Brassy Choking Cough.

This fine boy is Master Charles Hurley, the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hurley, 1024 Madison St., LaPorte, Ind. Charles has a little "Bodyguard" who lives in a little blue jar, and protects him against croup, colds, sore throat, bronchitis—in fact all kinds of cold troubles.

The name of this "Bodyguard" is Vicks VapoRub Salve, and the best thing about him is that he doesn't have to be swallowed. To "post the guard," Charles' mother just applies VapoRub externally and covers with a warm flannel cloth. Quick relief comes by absorption through the skin and by inhalation as a vapor.

"We always try to keep VapoRub in the house," writes Mrs. Hurley, "as the children are very susceptible to croup. By rubbing it on their throats and chests they are soon relieved. My husband and I used VapoRub when we had pleurisy and our pains went almost immediately."

Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00.  
Keep a little BODY-GUARD in YOUR home.

**VICKS VAPORUB SALVE**

### Maj. Johnson Dead.

Princeton, Ky., March 7.—Maj. T. J. Johnson, died at his home in this city Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Maj. Johnson was a Confederate veteran and the chapter of the United Daughters of Confederacy when organized here several years ago was named after him.

Henderson county had a 12-inch snow Sunday.



You May Talk to One Man

But an advertisement in this paper talks to the whole community.

Catch the Idea?

## 1916 BOY'S CORN CLUB CHAMPION

Leader of Boys' Organization Gives His Own Story of His Success.

Lona C. Fish, Berea, Kentucky, age fifteen years, produced one hundred and fourteen (114) bushels and seven (7) pounds on his acre at a cost of \$20.20, or 17.8c per bushel, thereby making \$65.37 clear profit and, incidentally, winning the state championship as well as the Corn Club challenge trophy for this year.

The following is his financial statement:

EXPENSES	
Rent of land	\$ 5.00
Preparation of seed bed	2.10
Cost of seed	.35
Cost of planting	.15
Cost of manure	5.00
Cost of fertilizer	2.00
Cost of cultivation	2.50
Cost of gathering	5.10

Total cost.....\$20.20

### RECEIPTS.

Total number of bushels, 114 bu. 7 lbs.	
Total value of crop at market price	\$85.57
Less expense	20.20

Net profit.....\$65.37  
Net cost per bushel 17.8c per bushel.

### KNOW VALUE OF ADVERTISING

American Business Firms Have Found Just How Much Publicity Can Be Brought to Aid Progress.

"There has been a greater development in advertising than in any other phase of American commercial life in ten years."

So declared Samuel C. Dobbs, former president of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, in an address before the Toledo organization recently.

"Knowing Your Job," was the subject of the address. In it Mr. Dobbs emphasized the importance of a man's spending morning, noon and night in learning every detail of his work. "In no other way can he succeed," Mr. Dobbs said.

"Advertising in this country is ahead of that in any other part of the world," the speaker asserted. "Advertising is the great vehicle of merchandising; it is the producer of efficiency. It is by means of advertising that the manufacturer in Toledo can present his goods to the man in Texas, and sell them."

As an indication of the great development in advertising in this country, Mr. Dobbs said that a decade ago there was no such organization as the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World. Now it has 13,000 members in this country.

"Ten years ago a man who suggested teaching advertising in colleges and universities would have been called crazy," he said. "Today this subject is taught in fifty-four American colleges."—Toledo Blade.

### Attempted Too Much.

Washington, Mar. 7.—Annulment of an Owensboro, Ky., ordinance enacted to prevent the Owensboro Waterworks company from operating in competition with a municipal plant was affirmed today by the supreme court.

### PARADISE FLATS

By OLIVE GRAY.

Peggy tried to save the soup, but it was too late. She sat down forcibly in a puddle of water, the soup landed in her lap, and over all spread her umbrella like a huge sniffer, pouring rivulets of water down her neck.

The man with whom she had collided at the windswept corner apologized. Disposing of his own umbrella he seized hers, lifted it away from the wreck and assisted Peggy to her feet. "Are you hurt?" he asked.

"No," she answered, shaking the soup out of her skirt. "But poor Mrs. Mally will have to do without her supper, I'm afraid."

"That's too bad. I'm terribly sorry. It was all my fault. Is there anything I can do to make it up?"

Peggy hesitated, which gave the man a chance to see just what kind of person it was he had encountered so forcibly. In the half light, with the street lamp giving an uncertain, ghastly glimmer, Peggy looked so ethereal that the young man had a feeling that she was going to disappear into the mist and float away. But with all her pale beauty she was almost too beautiful to be real.

"Yes," she answered, all unconscious of what was going on in the other's mind, "there is something, Mrs. Mally is very sick and she can't have anything but broth. There is a restaurant about half a block away. I've just come from there, but I've got to hurry on to Mrs. Mally's right away. The baby might fall downstairs and Patsy is probably making a meal of the matches while I'm here talking. So if you don't mind, you might bring the soup and I'll run along to look after the family."

"Sure, I'll get the soup. Is there anything else?"

"Nothing, thank you. It's the Paradise tenement across the street there—fifth floor."

"Paradise tenement!" He looked at the high, gloomy building with broken windows and rickety steps. "It doesn't look it!"

A few minutes later he knocked at a door at the head of the fourth flight of stairs, stairs that creaked and swayed with his weight.

Peggy opened the door. "It didn't take you long," she greeted him. "Won't you come in?"

"I'm dripping wet," he protested, waiting to be coaxed.

"Oh, that doesn't matter. The roof leaks in forty places anyway. Come in."

"Say, this is the darndest place I was ever in. It isn't safe for you to be here, is it—with all the dampness and everything?"

"Just as safe for me as for these kiddies and that poor sick soul in there!" nodding toward the next room. "And I'm only here evenings, while they're here all the time. I live on the other side of town. Mrs. Mally does my washing—that's how I discovered her."

"Who the—who owns this place? It ought to be reported to the department of public safety!"

"The Everett Real Estate company."

"Are you sure?"

"Yes. At least that's where I paid last month's rent."

He looked around. Plaster and paper were falling from the walls, papers and old rags were stuffed into broken windows, and, as Peggy said, it rained almost as hard inside as out.

The baby crept over and pulled itself up to his knee. He lifted it to his lap and opened a sticky little hand. Digging down into his pocket he produced a bill. "Here, little chap. This might help generally. Give it to the lady."

"You mustn't do that!" cried Peggy, when she had extricated the donation and noted the amount.

"Oh, yes, I must! It's to get a nurse to relieve you and some proper food and all the rest of that Samaritan stuff. And I'm going to see about fixing up this death trap. I stand in with the Everett Real Estate company, you see. Now I must be going. Good-night!" he said, rising.

"Good-night!" said Peggy, holding out her hand. "And thank you, oh, so very, very much."

And he turned toward the stairs, feeling that he had left something very valuable behind.

The next day Peggy looked up from her desk. One of the stenographers was talking.

"Did you know the boss was back?"

"Who?"

"Oh, I forgot you didn't know him. Why, Mr. Everett. He's been to Japan. Came home yesterday. There he is now."

The door of an adjoining office opened and a man came out. Peggy started. It was her Samaritan. Then she understood. Paradise flats belonged to him.

### THE ROSE

By IZOLA FORRESTER.

It fell at Bartram's feet as he was hurrying to the elevated station and lay in the trodden snow, a pink La France rose. He was late, yet he stopped and picked it up, trying to see where it had come from.

The neighborhood was far from fashionable. Rows of second-rate apartment houses lined both sides of the street, with stores on the ground floors and the elevated tracks between them. But as he looked up he caught a glimpse of a face at a second-story window, a face that matched the rose. Young and very girlish it was, with eyes full of mischief and dismay, too, seeing him with the rose in his hand. Just a moment, and it was out of sight in the room back of the window.

Bartram went up the long stairs to the elevated station with a curious tingling at his heartstrings. Romance did not usually stalk his footsteps.

All the way downtown and during the day's work he was vividly conscious of the rose in his waistcoat pocket. Several times he surreptitiously took it out and looked at it when he was alone in the office.

The next morning when he came to the newstand at the foot of the elevated stairs he glanced up at the window. There was no sign of the face he wanted to see, and he rode downtown feeling the joy of the day gone.

Bartram puzzled for several days, seeking to meet her. Then toward the end of the week there came a sudden, blessed relief. A small, discreet sign hung in the upper left-hand corner of one window.

"Room to Let."

Bartram took his noon hour, and went up to engage the room. The door in the second hallway was opened by a middle-aged woman, pleasant-faced and hopeful. Yes, she had a room to let, the front bedroom off the parlor. The young lady who had occupied it before had just left.

Bartram stared at her. Could fate be so unkind?

"Nothing happened to her, I hope?" he said slowly.

"Oh, nothing contagious, sir," replied the woman. "She was just hurt a little bit in an automobile accident—run down on Columbus avenue. She's at the hospital now, but you mustn't be afraid of that. It don't hurt the room a bit."

"No," Bartram answered. "I'll take the room. I—I expect to be called out of town for a little while, but I'll keep the room."

He paid a couple of weeks in advance, got the name of the hospital and went out on the street again. From a booth in a cigar store he telephoned to the office. They must excuse him that afternoon. He was not well, and had gone home. That done, he started for the hospital. He had her name now, Dorothy Bennett. It sounded like the name of a girl who loved roses. At the desk he asked for her. They looked up the name, said it had been an emergency case brought in during the night. She was not badly injured. He could go up to the ward and see her. Bartram held tightly the big cluster of pink roses he had brought and made his way to the elevator.

At the door of the ward a nurse directed him to the right cot, and he tiptoed to it cautiously. She was sleeping. Her hair was braided in two girlish plaits down her shoulders. She looked pale and wistful. There were no flowers on the little stand beside her. After Bartram had sat down the nurse took the roses and brought them back in a tall green glass vase. Then he waited.

When she opened her eyes without stirring there was no alarm or surprise in them. She smiled at him, ever so little, and looked at the roses understandingly.

"I wondered if you'd find out," she said. "I'm not hurt much."

Dorothy smiled up at him when he left, and watched him as he went down the room. It had been horribly lonely, coming into the strange hospital with no friends at all. She had been in New York two months now trying to get work, and each day had made the quest more hopeless. She lay smiling at the roses a long while, thinking of all he had said. He had promised to come every day to see her.

It was a month before the broken ankle was healed and her shoulder felt right, but there came the day when she was to be discharged. Bartram came for her in a taxi, his eyes eager and purposeful.

"You know," Dorothy said, as she came down the wide steps, leaning on his arm. "It's so good to get out again, but I haven't any idea where I'm going. Do you suppose Mrs. Kinney would take me back into my same little room just until I could get work?"

"It's waiting for you now," Bartram told her. "Warm as toast, and your going to stay there until we're married. Oh, I know I haven't asked you regularly before; but you know, didn't you? I haven't a soul in New York that cares whether I live or die, and when you dropped that rose at my feet in the snow, it was like a message right out of the skies. You meant to drop it, didn't you?"

Dorothy's lashes raised as she smiled up at him.

"I'd watched you pass by every single day," she said, "and just the minute I let it fall, I was frightened, but now I think it just was to be."

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## ENDS LIFE'S PILGRIMAGE

Mrs. Minerva Louisa Clardy Dies at the Age of Years.

Mrs. Lou Clardy died in Clarksville at 6:30 a. m. March 5, in the 91st year of her age. The Leaf Chronicle contains this notice of her death:

"Minerva Louisa, daughter of Nancy Knox and Moses Oldham, and widow of William Clardy, died at her home on Madison Street, at 6:30 o'clock this morning, March 5, 1917."

She was born October 8, 1826, on her father's estate, "Barren Hills," Montgomery County, Tennessee. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. A. H. Lusk, two grandsons, Robert Lusk, of Nashville, and William Clardy Lusk, of London, England. A large family of nephews and nieces mourn her loss.

Her father, Moses Oldham, came of the best pioneer stock. Her mother, Nancy Knox, was a kinswoman of President Polk. So in her were mingled strains of Virginia and North Carolina blood—to both of which she did exceeding honor.

Prayers were held at the Madison Street Methodist Church at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, March 6, by her pastor, Dr. Ryland Knight, assisted by her former pastor, Dr. R. R. Acree.

The following nephews were pall bearers: James K. Gold, James D. Oldham, James Brunty, Irvin Brunty, Charlie Gerhart, James R. Oldham, assisted by these friends, John A. Clements and Douglas Warfield.

She was a fine true type of the old South at its best, the soul of hospitality, of courtesy, or kindness and loyal friendship. As daughter, wife and mother, she was a pattern."

Mrs. Clardy's body was deposited in a vault and will later be interred at the Clardy homestead at Belle's Station in this county.

One of her grand-daughters who died a few years ago was Miss Tony Ware, of this city.

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### Chaplin Offered Big Contract.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 7.—Film producers are bidding again for the services of Charles Chaplin, whose contract once more is expiring. A year ago Chaplin's contract, calling for a sum in the neighborhood of \$200,000, made with Essanay, expired. Shortly afterward he was working for the Mutual Film corporation at a salary of \$670,000 yearly.

Naturally, if another producer now wants Mr. Chaplin, he must offer him more than \$670,000. It is understood one producer has made him an offer of \$1,000,000 flat salary. John B. Freuler, president of Mutual, it is said, recently conferred with Mr. Chaplin on the subject of renewing his contract, probably at an increase.

Chaplin contracted for twelve productions for Mutual. He now is completing the tenth, entitled "The Cure."

### STRAYED OR STOLEN

From Hopkinsville, Monday night, one bay mare, six or seven years old, no shoes, snip on nose, slight mark on forehead, barred wire mark on left hind leg in front of knee and one on right front foot. Had on saddle. Suitable reward for return, or information leading to her recovery.

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Phone 433-2, or ELLIS ROPER, Chief Police, Hopkinsville, Ky.

### Owensboro Market.

The tobacco season at Owensboro is almost over. Higher types have declined but lower grades are closing strong. The sales have been 21,898,585 at an average of \$11.62, making \$2,542,926.86.

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## HOWELL ITEMS.

W. W. Radford and G. W. Sallee have returned from Frankfort where they attended the road commission.

Miss Nora Dixon has returned from Louisville, where she spent several days buying spring goods.

Osborne Radford is quite sick with measles.

Prof. L. J. McGinley and Miss Frances Lander spent the week-end in Hopkinsville.

O. M. Wilson spent a couple of days in Hopkinsville last week with J. S. Quarles.

Miss Cordelia Cross has returned to her home at Fidalia, after a week's visit to Miss Bertha Clardy.

Miss Mary Fox Clardy is home from Murfreesboro for a few days.

Miss Alice Coleman, of Gracey, spent a couple of days last week with T. F. Clardy and family.

Dr. W. A. Haynes was called to his niece, Miss Maude Meacham, last week at Dotsonville, Tenn., who was suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Miss Sarah Whitaker Clardy and Walker Garrott spent the week-end at their homes at Bell.

James McKnight, of Hopkinsville, spent the week-end with friends in Howell.

Mrs. Will Major has returned to Lebanon, Tenn., after a visit to her mother, Mrs. L. A. Giles.

The family of Jim Littlefield is reported as doing as well as could be expected. Nearly every member of said family has measles.

Cynthia and Lillian Garnett are able to be back in school after having measles and mumps.

Louise Gregory and Lowry Caldwell are out of school on account of mumps.

Mrs. W. W. Radford was hostess of the Rook Club on Friday afternoon. Progressive Rook was played and delightful refreshments were served to Mesdames C. L. Morgan, T. F. Clardy, Forrest Giles, W. A. Haynes;

Misses R. E. Coleman, Crit McKnight, Cordelia Cross, Bertha Clardy, Mary Quarles, Alice Coleman; Messrs C. L. Morgan and Forrest Giles.

Mrs. Lula A. Giles entertained a few friends Thursday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Giles, who were married in Nashville Wednesday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Coleman and Miss Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Clardy, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Gates.

## REGISTERED NURSES.

Following is a list of the registered nurses in Hopkinsville, not including several in the Jennie Stuart Hospital Training School, not yet full graduates:

Mrs. Beatrice Allison,  
Mrs. Julia Elliott Brennan,  
Mrs. Hanora H. McCarten,  
Miss Johnnie Drasher,  
Miss Lillian Hamby,  
Miss Dell Handley,  
Miss Pansy Jenkins.

## Trees Used for Cisterns.

Among the most curious of trees is the gigantic baobab, which flourishes in central Africa, the trunk of which sometimes attains a diameter of 40 feet, according to the Los Angeles Times. This trunk serves as a natural cistern, retaining rain water in large quantities in a cavity formed at the top. The Arabs artificially hollow out the trunks of large baobabs and fill them with water during the prevalence of rain as a provision against the dry season. These cisterns are in many cases 20 feet in height and eight or ten feet in diameter.

## Coal Combine Caught.

A Federal grand jury in New York returned indictments against 118 corporations and seventy-one individuals for participation in an alleged coal combine. The firms and men involved operate in the West Virginia and Virginia fields. Profits of more than \$38,500,000 are said to have been made by fixing coal prices.

## BLAZE ON BEECH STREET

Children In House Rescued  
Just in Time to Escape  
Cremation.

The residence of Fannie Major, col., on Beech street, was practically destroyed by fire Monday afternoon, causing a loss of four or five hundred dollars. She had no insurance. The alarm was not turned in until the flames had made such headway that the Fire Department could not save the structure. The owner of the building was absent and several small children, who were in the house, were rescued just before the roof fell in.

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## NARROW ESCAPE FOR DRIVER

When an Automobile Collided  
With a Sewing Machine  
Wagon.

An automobile driven by W. R. Gray ran into the wagon of H. P. Driskill, a Singer Sewing Machine canvasser, yesterday at Ninth and Liberty streets and Mr. Driskill was thrown out of his vehicle and on to the sidewalk some distance away, but by a miracle almost escaped any injury of consequence. His wagon was wrecked. The automobile was but slightly injured. Mr. Gray made a satisfactory adjustment of the damages with Mr. Driskill and no arrest was made.

**Preserving Frescoes.**  
A novel method of preserving frescoes, recently discovered by a Japanese, consists in coating them with thin glass, which is made to adhere through the agency of specially prepared chemicals. The new method is said to make frescoes proof against the injurious action of the atmosphere. It is stated that chemicals used to make the glass adhere are an alkaline element and caustic nitrogen combined at a heat of about 300 degrees C. The inventor has applied to the authorities to have his method used for the preservation of the frescoes in the Horyuji temple, the oldest in Japan.

**Mechanics in Medicine.**  
The value of mechanics in medicine has been amply demonstrated and the science of healing is coming to regard with increasing favor the aid offered by mechanical devices. The physician, in private practice, finds it incumbent to meet the advance made by institutions and the result is that the office of the modern physician is coming more and more to resemble a machine shop, just as the hospitals and sanatoriums are being gradually converted into health factories.

## Trouble For Bern.

Dispatches state that Berlin has sent wireless dispatches to former Ambassador von Bernstorff, now returning to Germany, asking him to explain how the Zimmerman note regarding Mexico and Japan came to be divulged.

## INDOLENT MRS. LESTER

By OSBORN JONES.

Every one agreed that pretty Mrs. Lester's besetting sin was indolence. "Of course, any woman could have pretty hands and well-manicured nails if she didn't ever have to do anything," said Mrs. Landis, the boarding-house keeper, to the old maid school teacher, who replied promptly:

"Yes, and any woman could seem light-hearted if she didn't have a care or trouble in the world."

As a matter of fact, Mrs. Lester was indolent. But she was not altogether happy.

If any one had asked Mrs. Lester why she boarded instead of keeping house she would have said it was because her husband chose to live that way. They had always done it in the three years of their married life. The boarding house was convenient to the big factory where her husband worked and houses were not plentiful. But sometimes a single tear lingered in those soft brown eyes of hers and there was a fleeting note of sadness in her voice.

Then came the time when Mrs. Landis' son had pneumonia at college. It didn't prove to be a hard case, but it was sufficiently alarming to make it necessary for Mrs. Landis to pack her wicker suitcase and betake her portly person to the college town. She stopped long enough to give the cook directions for ordering and to commit the care of the 30 boarders to her keeping. Then she went to Mrs. Lester's room and told her.

"I know I can't do much," said Mrs. Lester, "but it makes a lot of work for poor Martha. Let me do the ordering while you are gone."

This happened just after breakfast, so that Mrs. Lester went marketing that morning at nine and bought even more economically than would Mrs. Landis herself, and no one at the boarding house knew the difference. For Mrs. Lester, though she said nothing of it even to her husband, was pleased with her achievement. Lester returned to the factory office that night, and Mrs. Lester sat alone. It was eleven when she first heard Martha's call for help—poor, fat Martha, whose age was beginning to tell in an occasional heart attack.

Only Mrs. Lester heard the call for help and went tiptoeing up to the garret bedroom to be of assistance.

And then came the doctor, who assured Mrs. Lester that a few days of rest would put Martha back on the working list again.

By the time Mr. Lester came back from the factory Mrs. Lester was tucked in among her pillows—as responsible as if she had lain there all the evening.

In the morning she slipped from her room at five—blatantly lying to her husband that she was cold and had gone to rest in a warmer room that had recently been vacated. And as Mrs. Lester seldom took breakfast with her husband, he never guessed that while he was eating she was working furiously in the kitchen, not dreamed that the coffee and cereal, bacon, eggs and muffins were all the result of his wife's efforts with the cookbook and stove.

After breakfast Mrs. Lester ordered quickly and deftly over the phone, and then came the stupendous undertaking of getting 20 luncheons ready for the men at the factory by 11:30.

Then came dinner, and though Mrs. Lester's arms ached from the unaccustomed labor, and though she was almost dropping under the task, she was supremely happy. She had left a note in her husband's room saying that she had gone to spend the day with a friend and would not be home till nine, and at that hour she stole into Mrs. Landis' room long enough to put on her big cloak and hat that she had left there for that purpose. Then, pinching a little color into her tired face, she tripped smilingly into her husband's room. It had been a wonderful day of achievement, and she could hardly wait till Mrs. Landis returned—she was due at ten that night—to hear what she would say.

"Such a wonderful day as I have had!" she said to her husband by way of explaining the happiness that she knew must be shining from her face.

"Wonderful days," mocked her husband; "yes, and I have been slaving at the office. Girlie, I'm getting tired of this—just a little. I'd like to have a little house of our own, but I don't dare to suggest it. You're too much of a doll. It's worrying over that besides worrying over the business that keeps me so low-hearted."

"And you have wanted to keep house and haven't told me," she whispered. "And for all these months and years I've longed for something to do and didn't dare ask you—"

But that was all she had time to say, for Mrs. Landis rushed through the half-opened door. She had arrived and Martha, now down stairs for the first time, had told her.

"Bless your heart," she said, putting her motherly arms around the wife. "Say, Mr. Lester, with a wife that can cater, order and cook for 30 and not let any one know about it, you ought to be as proud as Punch. But that's the way with some women. They're lucky at everything they attempt—from running a boarding house to making a man happy."

And as Mrs. Landis went out of the room again the husband took his tired little wife in his arms. "She's right. You have made me happy and I am proud," he whispered.

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Their charming niece, Mrs. Ruth Thomas, from St. Louis, who was the guest of honor, presided at the punch bowl, assisted by Misses Virginia and Lulie Steger. Fruits and candies were also served.

The house was artistically decorated with potted plants. Every face beamed with pleasure, while all listened to the sweet strains of music from the piano, rendered by Mrs. Hugh Crenshaw, assisted by Mrs. Dennis Carter, and last but not least was the awarding of the prizes to Miss Lillian Major and Mr. James McKnight, whom the judges decided to be the "tackiest" attired. The occasion will long be remembered as a charming event.

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## British Successes.

Around Arras and near Ginchy British troops have carried out more successful raids, inflicting many casualties upon the Germans. Aerial activity along the French line has been marked, six German machines having been brought down Sunday and eight others forced to descend damaged. Operations are impeded in Russia by cold weather.

## Compensation Laws.

The first compulsory workmen's compensation, or industrial insurance law—that of Washington State—to come before the Supreme Court, was Tuesday upheld as constitutional, as was a similar law of New York and a voluntary compensation law of Iowa.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

## Death Claims Bride.

The bridal gown which Miss Magdalene Chingry, aged seventeen, of Homestead, Pa., was to have worn at her marriage to Paul Terick was her burial robe instead. She died in a hospital of injuries received while making final arrangements for her wedding. A runaway team knocked her over a bluff.

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It seems as if there are fashions in fish just as there are in wearing apparel. A fish that brings in German markets nearly four times as much per pound as our fresh mackerel, and considerably more than haddock, is thrown away by our fishermen because no one wants to eat it. And it is mighty good fish, too, says the Popular Science Monthly. Those who eat it praise it for its delicate flavor. Even the English like it. Every year they consume 3,000 tons of it. Yet we will have none of it.

This fish is known as the goosefish, anglerfish, devilfish and monkfish. True, its appearance is against it, but still the epicures in England and Germany demand it because it is delicious. Analyses made by the bureau of fisheries on samples show that goosefish contains considerably more protein than flounder, slightly more than a cod, a little less than sirloin steak. The goosefish has an average length of three feet and is broad and flat, somewhat resembling the flounder in general outline. The only way to get it, says a Philadelphia woman, is for the housewives to club together and demand it. At the present time fishermen do not take the trouble to bring it home, but discard it from their nets.

### SOME BORN TO BE POPULAR

Persons With Happy Disposition Are to Be Envied, Though It Can Be Acquired.

Those who are born to be popular are not envious, and not fractious, and not ill-natured, and not hypercritical; and whatever their opinions, they believe at heart that life is pleasant and the world in no great need of reform.

Indeed, the most essential ingredient in congenital popularity is content, and next to that the power to take on the mental color of one's company.

If there is any other essential, it may be described as entertainingness. But this does not mean that the popular person must be amusing, but only that his presence and conversation have a tendency to destroy self-consciousness, self-criticism, and that sense of the lagging of the social clock which destroys social amenity, producing stagnation among one set of people and a barbarian boisterousness in another.

### RUSSIAN CONVALESCENTS.

One of the always novel sights of Petrograd and Moscow these days is that of the volunteer nurses, each with her flock of ten or a dozen convalescent soldiers shuffling along the Nevsky or the Neva wall, going to the movies or staring wide-eyed at the pictures in the Tretiakoff gallery or the Hermitage. You always wonder what they are saying, these lumbering peasant boys who have never, perhaps, been away from their distant villages, and their demure little chaperons who have not infrequently lived the carefully guarded lives of young ladies of society until the war gave them their red cross and nunlike headdress and a chance to wander about town like a sort of Harun-al-Rashid.—Arthur Ruhl, in Collier's Weekly.

### HANDSOME SERENITY.

"George Washington was never guilty of deception."

"Maybe not. I don't believe he ever looked like his pictures on postage stamps, but of course he wasn't responsible for them."

### THE MODERN WIFE.

Mrs. Knicker—What did your husband give you?

Mrs. Bocker—Some frightfully cheap cigarettes.—Judge.

### OF COURSE NOT.

"Beauty is skin deep."

"That's enough. Nobody wants an X-ray photograph of his sweetheart's physiognomy."

### BED SUITED HIM.

"My good man, I shall have to put you on a diet."

"Oh, don't, doctor! This bed is fine."—Lampoon.

### POT AND KETTLE.

Wife—That Mrs. Brown must be an awful gossip. I never can tell her anything but what she's heard it before.

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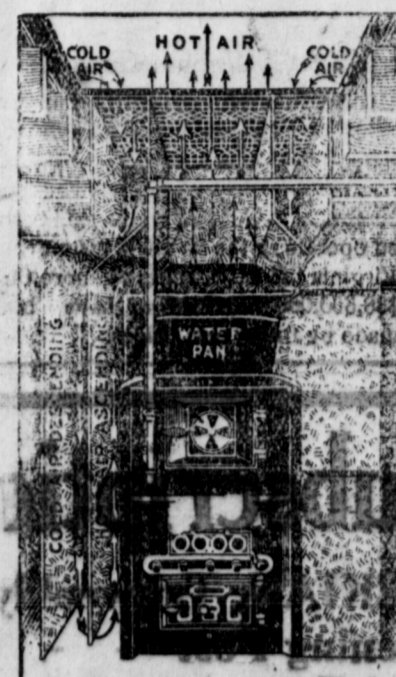
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### DON'T TALK OF MISTAKES

Worrying Over Errors, and Complaining About Them, Is About the Worst Occupation Imaginable.

It's poor policy to tell the person at the next desk that one is so much out on a balance, or that Mr. John Smith's mail has been sent to Mr. William Brown. While discussing the whereabouts of the difference in the balance, the time consumed could well be applied to trying to locate the missing figures; and instead of bemoaning the fact that Mr. Smith's mail will be opened by Mr. Brown, the sensible girl will write a brief note to that gentleman, politely requesting him to forward Mr. Smith's communications to the correct address.

Worrying over errors and asking what to do about them is a waste of time. The person at the next desk cannot help you any, and in nine cases out of ten will not have any sympathy for you; so the girl who is anxious to correct any mistake she discovers in her work must rely upon herself to do it. However, if she finds she cannot satisfactorily adjust the difficulty, then let her bring it to the attention of a higher authority, whose word settles the matter for all time.

### You Need A Spring Laxative

Dr. King's New Life Pills will remove the accumulated waste of winter from your intestines, the burden of the blood. Get that sluggish spring fever feeling out of your system, brighten your eye, clear your complexion. Get that vim and snap of good purified healthy blood. Dr. King's New Life Pills are a non-gripping laxative that aids nature's process, try them to-night. At all Druggists, 25c.—Advertisement.

#### Spanish for Mouse.

Raton, the county seat of Colfax county, New Mexico, is the center of the mining industry of the coal field on the south side of the Raton mountains, although no large mines are located in the immediate vicinity. The Santa Fe trail passed through Raton, then known as Willow Springs. The word Raton is Spanish for mouse.

### Might Be Dead To-day.

Garden City, Kan.—In a letter from Mrs. James Hammer, of this city, she says: "I firmly believe that I would not be alive today, if it were not for Cardui. I had been a sufferer from womanly troubles all my life, until I found that great remedy. I feel that I can't praise it too highly." Are you a woman suffering from some of the troubles, to which a woman is peculiarly liable? If so, why not try Cardui, the woman's tonic? You can't reply on Cardui. It is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless, and acts gently but surely, without bad after-effects. "Twice help you. Ask your druggist.—Advertisement.

#### Wrong Quarry.

With a wild sweep the wind tore round a corner and removed the hat from the head of a respectable and near-sighted citizen who chanced to be passing. Peering wildly round, the man thought he saw his hat in a yard, behind a high fence. Hastily climbing over, he started to chase it, but each time he thought he had caught it it got yet another move on. Then a woman's angry voice broke on his ears. "What are you doing there?" she demanded, shrilly. He explained mildly that he was only trying to retrieve his hat. Whereupon the woman said, in wonder: "Your hat? Well, I don't know where it is, but that's our little black hen you're chasing!"

### Sloan's Liniment For Rheumatism

The torture of rheumatism, the pains and aches that make life unbearable are relieved by Sloan's Liniment, a clean clear liquid that is easy to apply and more effective than musky plaster or ointments because it penetrates quickly without rubbing. For the many pains and aches following exposure, strains, sprains and muscles soreness, Sloan's Liniment is promptly effective. Always have a bottle handy for gout, lumbago, toothache, backache, stiff neck and all external pains. At Druggists, 25c.—Advertisement.

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### ONE MORE OF LAW'S TOLLS

Part That Yale University Is Proud of, That of Training Men for the Legal Profession.

Yale university reports that one-fifth of its living graduates are practicing law, and the one-fourth of its present students are preparing to practice it, says the San Francisco Bulletin. The three professions of education, medicine and the ministry, concerning whose usefulness there is more general agreement, can together reckon only a few more students than those who are taking law. Law is barely outdistanced by manufacturing, engineering and finance—occupations in which sons of rich men are likely to engage, or in which usefulness is likely to receive a more than generous financial recognition. It holds this place because our laws are so complex that it takes highly trained, very ingenious experts to guess what they mean. Yale university devotes 23 or 24 per cent of its enormously expensive plant to training men whose efforts will mostly cancel one another, with an occasional gain to abstract justice, but with a prevailing inefficiency, socially considered, that is absolutely appalling.

### Spring Colds Are Dangerous

Sudden change of temperature and underwear brings spring colds with stuffed up head, sore throat and general cold symptoms. A dose of Dr. King's New Discovery is sure relief, this happy combination of antiseptic balsams clears the head, soothes the irritated membranes and what might have been a lingering cold is broken up. Don't stop treatment when relief is first felt as a half cured cold is dangerous. Take Dr. King's New Discovery till your cold is gone.—Advertisement.

#### Secret of Success.

Attention to detail is the secret of success in every sphere of life, and little kindnesses, little acts of consideration, little appreciations, little confidences, are all that most of us are called on to perform, but they are all that are needed to keep a friendship sweet.—Hugh Black.

## L. & N.

### Time Card

Effective Jan. 8, 1917.

#### TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 92—C. & N. O. Lim. 12:21 a. m.  
No. 51—St. L. Express 5:23 p. m.  
No. 96—Dixie Flyer 9:32 a. m.  
No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 7:00 a. m.  
No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail 5:36 a. m.  
No. 91—Local Passenger, 8:57 a. m.  
No. 99—Dixie Limited, 9:56 p. m.

#### TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 92—C. & St. L. Lim. 5:29 a. m.  
No. 52—St. Louis Express 10:20 a. m.  
No. 94—Dixie Flyer 7:05 p. m.  
No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:55 p. m.  
No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail 10:14 p. m.  
No. 90—Local Passenger, 4:32 p. m.  
No. 98—Dixie Limited, 6:17 a. m.

No. 51 connects at Guthrie for Memphis and points as far south as Erin, and for Louisville, Cincinnati and the East.

Nos. 53 and 55 make direct connection at Guthrie for Louisville, Cincinnati and all points north and east thereof.

No. 93 carries through sleepers to Atlanta, Macon, Jacksonville, St. Augustine, and Tampa, Fla. Also Pullman sleepers to New Orleans. Connect at Guthrie for points East and West. No. 93 will not carry local passengers for points north of Nashville, Tenn.

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The smallpox situation at Nortonville has been controlled. There were 16 cases and 1,130 vaccinations.

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# THE KENTUCKIAN FOR 1917

EVER since the year 1868, the HOPKINSVILLE KENTUCKIAN has been published under one name or another. In 1879 the present name was given and the present management took charge of the paper, which is now in its 39th volume. For almost 40 years it has been a faithful exponent of the growth and development of the city and county. It has written in its files a history of the county covering that long period. It has recorded the birth of three generations in some instances. It has seen the small town develop into a prosperous city with its people ever looking forward to greater things.

During all these years it has had a loyal and constant patronage from the best people of the county. It has many subscribers whose names have not been off its subscription lists in 39 years. In many other families, sons have taken their father's places. We would be ungrateful not to appreciate support like this, but we have never come to the reading public with a stronger appeal for patronage than this year. Conditions have greatly changed and paper stock is three times as high as a year ago.

Many newspapers have advanced rates but in order that the circulation may not be lessened by a higher price the KENTUCKIAN will still be sent for \$2.00 a year, the old price. It will be necessary though to adhere rigidly to the cash system, since more than \$1.00 must be paid in advance for the paper upon which we print 156 papers and the cost of printing leaves but little profit out of the second dollar. We are asking our old subscribers to stand by us in this crisis by renewing promptly.

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## FIXES PAPER PRICE

**Trade Commission Accepts Proposals of News Print Makers.**

Washington, March 7.—The Federal Trade Commission has accepted a proposal by newsprint paper manufacturers that it fix a price for their product, and named \$2.50 a hundred pounds as a reasonable charge. Higher prices were set for paper in less than carload lots and for sheet paper.

Acceptance of the arbitration plan was announced by the commission in a preliminary report to Congress on its newsprint investigation, saying there had been no real shortage of paper, but that important manufacturers of the United States and Canada had banded together to secure unreasonable profits.

The commission makes it clear that it is not acting as an agency of the Government to fix prices, but is serving only as an arbiter. It declined to act until both publishers and paper jobbers agreed to the manufacturers' proposal and promised co-operation. Jobbers had agreed to handle and distribute paper put at their disposal by the commission at rates the commission prescribes.

The prices fixed will be in force for six months and contracts call for prices higher than those set will be abrogated. Besides the price of \$2.50 at the mill in carload lots the commission named these prices:

Less than carload, \$2.75; newsprint sheets, in carload lots, \$3.25; less than carload, \$3.50. Jobbers will charge not more than 5 per cent. on carload lots; 12½ per cent. on less than carload lots and 20 per cent. on less than ton lots.

**Reasonable Man's Fault.**  
We don't like a reasonable man. We never can feel sure that he isn't going to switch over to the other side.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

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## BONE BROKEN

**When Hugh West Slipped and Fell On the Street.**

As Hugh West was coming down the street Sunday morning, he slipped and fell near the corner of Eighth and Main and his collar bone was broken. The blizzard that was prevailing made the streets unsafe, from being covered with ice. Mr. West was taken to his room at Hotel Main where his injury was attended to and he is getting along well.

## THE PLACE FOR THEM



Jest—Of course Noah must have taken bees with him.  
Josh—Oh, certainly.  
Jest—Just think how they must have stung the animals while they flew about.  
Josh—Oh, I guess Noah kept them shut up in the archives.

## NATURAL PRIDE.

"Why is Dubwaite's chest so inflated this morning?"  
"Oh, he's strutting about town and boasting that he has an iron will."  
"But why?"  
"He hasn't smoked in a week."

## CAUSE AND EFFECT.

"Your brother has the earache."  
"It serves him right," answered the small boy's sister. "Teacher has told him time and again he ought not to play the piano by ear."

## ONE GUESS.

"I wonder why that fellow stares at me so."  
"I wonder. He's a noted entomologist."—Pittsburgh Post.

## NO DANGER.

"I hope this lecture will not be any cheap talk."  
"Of course not. They're charging two dollars a seat."

## LOCATED.

"Do you think he has the brains of the family?"  
"Quite likely. They must be somewhere."

## ENCOURAGING.

"The doctor thinks I'm threatened with brain fever."  
"Oh, don't mind him. He's only kidding you."

## ON THE LINKS.

Mr. Ground Squirrel—Drat it! I wish the nearsighted old boob would quit taking my house for his eighteenth.

## APT.

"Why do they call the baby 'Bill'?"  
"He was born on the first of the month."

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
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## NEW HOUSE MAY BE BIPARTISAN

**Clark Speaker, With Committees Divided, is Plan Being Considered.**

## FOR PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

**Step to Block Independent Control Discussed Meeting With Favor.**

Washington, March 7.—Bipartisan organization of the incoming House, with Champ Clark as Speaker and the committee memberships and patronage equally divided, is being discussed by Democratic and Republican leaders as a possibility in the event the five independent members hold up public business in the next session by attempting to dictate how the House shall be organized.

The independents thus far have declined to align themselves with either of the big parties, and have held several secret caucuses. If they vote as a unit, as it now appears they may, they can delay business in the House just as long as the party lines are maintained. At best neither Democrats nor Republicans will have more than 215 party members, and 218 are required to elect a Speaker, except by special agreement.

## PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. Jouett Henry left Tuesday for Louisville to meet her husband, returned from the border. She was accompanied by Mrs. Fannie C. Prestridge.

Miss Marguerite Stevenson was the guest of friends and relatives in Hopkinsville this week.—Sturgis News-Democrat.

Miss Mary Glenn Waller, of Hopkinsville, came to Madisonville Friday evening on the Little Dixie to visit her grandparents, Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Glenn. She returned home Sunday afternoon.—Hustler.

Mrs. L. E. Steele, of Logan, West Virginia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pursley.

Mrs. James Williams has returned to her home in Louisville, after a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Greenwood, near Beverly.

Mrs. Hugh M. Henry, of Hopkinsville, Ky., has returned to her home after a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Evansville and Yanketown.—Evansville Courier.

Arthur Henry, Jr., a student at Bellbuckle, Tenn., visited his parents this week.

Postmaster Chas. D. Overshiner, of Santa Ana, California, an old Hopkinsville boy and a former "devil" in the Kentuckian office, is here on a visit to his cousin, Alex Overshiner. He had been to the inauguration at Washington and came by to spend a week or ten days with his relatives and friends. He has a son, William, an only child, who will finish at the University of California in June. Charlie is being given the glad hand as one of the Californians who saved President Wilson last fall.

## MARRIAGES.

### Weaver-Harned.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to Morris Weaver and Miss Tommie Harned. The wedding is set for March 14, in this city. Mr. Weaver is a son of Mr. J. M. Weaver, of near Lafayette. The bride-to-be is a daughter of Mr. Roam Harned.

### Girl's Kindness Won \$10,000

Portland, Ore.—Miss Ella T. Pearson, a stenographer, is richer by \$10,000, all because apparently, of her becoming conduct as she daily went to and fro across the old Albina ferry. Charles Clark, 84 years old, the ferry gateman, who was found dead in his bed a few days ago, is her benefactor. The two were scarcely acquainted, although Miss Pearson for several years greeted him with "Good morning" on going to work and with "Good night" when she returned home.

## W. A. WILGUS WILL CASE

**Is Set For Next Monday And Will Be a Hard Fought Trial.**

## COMMON LAW DOCKET

**One Or Two Important Contests Are Set For Hearing This Week.**

Unimportant common law cases have occupied the time in Circuit Court this week. A number of damage suits by colored people against the city of Hopkinsville are set for to-day. Two important cases set for tomorrow and next day are M. D. Grubbs vs. National Union Fire Ins. Co. and Sallie Mimms vs. Wm. E. Jesup.

Next Monday the most important case of the term comes up, that of Sadie Wilgus Yeager and others vs. Geo. C. Long, Administrator of the estate of the late W. A. Wilgus. The plaintiffs seek to break the will of Mr. Wilgus, who left an estate of \$40,000 to the city of Hopkinsville for a playground for children.

There are many witnesses and the case will be hard fought, with a strong array of counsel.

## WITHDRAWS OFFER

**Owensboro Too Slow In Securing Site For Anti-Tuberculosis Hospital.**

Owensboro, Ky., March 7.—Mayor Hickman received on Monday a letter from Col. E. G. Buckner, of Wilmington, Del., a former Owensboro citizen, who some time ago offered the city \$20,000 for the purpose of building a tuberculosis sanitarium on a site furnished by the city.

The City Council has delayed securing a site for the sanitarium for various reasons and the results has been that Col. Buckner, in his letter to Mayor Hickman, withdrew the offer made the city of the \$20,000 and says that under no circumstances will he renew the offer.

The members of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society who have been laboring for years trying to raise funds for this purpose, are very much chagrined over the announcement.

## Louisville Wakes Up

An ordinance aimed to prevent the exhibition of indecent or immoral pictures or shows at any theatre was presented in the Louisville City Council and referred to the Police Committee.

## Named For West Point.

Geo. Lehnhard, Jr., a senior in the Paducah high school, aged 19, has been appointed by Congressman Barclay a cadet to West Point. He is a football star.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## What Do You Know About TIRES?

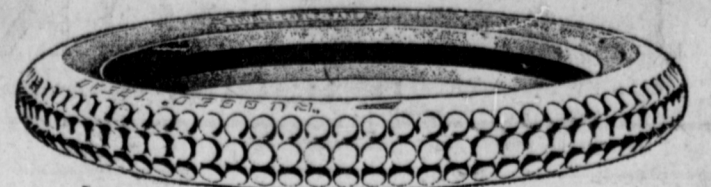
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## WARNED OF NEW LAW

Calloway is going to have a good big bunch of candidates this year and the Ledger is of the opinion that many of them are possibly not acquainted with the provision of a law enacted by the last state legislature known as the "Corrupt Practice Act," and in order that all the boys might be informed to enable them to comply with this law we publish following several sections of the act. Each candidate should clip this article for reference, as it will be absolutely necessary to comply with its provisions before your name can be placed on the primary ballot:

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person who is a candidate for nomination or election for any state, county, city, town, municipal or district office to expend, pay, promise, loan or become pecuniarily liable in any way for money, or other things of value, either directly or indirectly, or to agree or enter into any contract with any corporation, association or person to vote for or support any particular thing or measure in consideration of the vote or support, moral or financial, of any such corporation, association or person to demand that any candidate for office shall promise or agree in advance or shall make any contract, oral or written to support any particular individual, thing or measure, in consideration of the vote or the support, financial or moral, of such corporation, or person, in any election, primary or nominating convention, but no expenditure made by any candidate, or others for him, for the purpose of employing and paying clerks and stenographers, or for printing and advertising, or in securing suitable halls for public speaking or suitable headquarters, stationery and stamps, or actual traveling expenses, shall be deemed illegal, and any person, corporation, or company violating this section shall be fined in any sum not to exceed \$5,000 or be imprisoned in the county jail not to exceed six months, or both.

Section 4. Any person who shall be a candidate before any caucus or convention, or at any primary election, or any final election for any state, county, city, town, municipal or district office shall on the fifteenth day before the date for making such nomination, and also on the fifteenth day before the final election, file with the officer with whom his nomination papers must be filed in case of a primary, and with the chairman of the board authorized to issue the certificate of election after a final election, or with the secretary of state when nomination is made by caucus or convention for officers of the state at large, or for districts larger than one county, and with the county clerk in all other cases, a statement in writing, which statement shall be subscribed and sworn to by such candidate and which shall set forth in detail all sums of money, or other things of value, contributed, disbursed, expended or promised by him, and to the best of his knowledge and belief, by any person in his behalf, wholly or in part, endeavoring to secure his nomination or election to such office or place; and also sums of money contributed, disbursed, expended or promised by him in support, and in connection with the nomination or election of any other person at such election, primary or nominating convention, and showing the dates when, the persons to whom, and the purpose for which all sums were paid, expended or promised. Said statement shall set forth in detail each item of contribution or expenditure, and he shall before some officer qualified to administer oaths subscribe and file with said statement the following oath: (His affidavit.)

Section 7. No officer or board authorized by law to issue certificates of election or nomination shall issue such certificates to any person unless the statements required by this section shall have been made and filed as required.

Section 40. Said statements will be filed as required by this act shall at all times be open to public inspection, and copies thereof may be obtained by any person desiring same.

There were 32,129,019 gallons of whisky made in Kentucky in 1916.